

The Hoosier Hustle: An Urban Adventure Challenge

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2009
REGISTRATION FORM

In the Hoosier Hustle, teams of three will make their way through the urban jungle called B-Town. The course will test teams’ mental and physical abilities through innovative challenges, physical agility, and critical teamwork as teams look for checkpoints hidden throughout the city.

The Hoosier Hustle begins at The Banneker Community Center, Saturday April 18, 2009 at 8 a.m. Mandatory check-in begins at 7:15 a.m. All course instructions will be announced the morning of the event. Teams should be prepared to participate in 4 to 8 hours of challenges and activities. All participants must be 18 years or older by the day of the race.

Submit your team registration and entry fee on or before Friday, April 3, 2009 for an early registration fee of \$90 per team. All registrations received after the 3rd are \$120 per team. The last date to register is April 13. Payment can be made by cash, check, Visa, or MasterCard. Make checks payable to “City of Bloomington Parks and Recreation.” Mail or drop off this completed form, or visit the Web site to register.

City of Bloomington
Parks and Recreation Department
401 N. Morton Street, Suite 250
Bloomington, IN 47404

www.bloomington.in.gov/parks

Packet pick-up is at the City of Bloomington Banneker Community Center on Friday, April 17 at 6:30 p.m. This is a mandatory meeting. At least one team member must be present; we recommend all three team members attend this meeting.

Registration Fee includes:

- Entry
- Event T-Shirt and finishing medal
- Awards for top 3 teams overall
- Post-race meal
- Morning snack
- Race goodie bag

GEAR

Mandatory Equipment:

- Teams MUST have all mandatory gear at check in.
- 3 bicycles & 3 helmets
- 1 change of clothes and shoes per person
- 2 pairs of swim goggles
- 2 team members must each have a swimsuit and a towel
- 1 digital camera (with adapter cord for PC)

First Aid Kit

These are suggested first aid items to be carried by the team.

- Moleskin/Compeed (enough for each team member)
- 3" ace bandage
- 1 tube of triple antibacterial ointment
- 1 roll of 1" waterproof medical tape
- 3 - 4"x4" gauze pads
- 1 ice pack

Please keep in mind this event takes place rain or shine.

Please fill out and return the bottom of this sheet, along with your payment for registration.
Questions? Call Sarah at 349-3748 or e-mail nixs@bloomington.in.gov.

Team Name: _____

#1 Name: _____

#2 Name: _____

#3 Name: _____

D.O.B. _____ Gender: _____

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D.O.B. _____ Gender: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Phone: _____

Phone: _____

Emer. Phone: _____

Emer. Phone: _____

Emer. Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

E-mail: _____

E-mail: _____

Shirt Size: _____

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How did you find out about the Hoosier Hustle? (If another team referred you please indicate here.) _____

Payment Information:

(Please check)

_____ Cash

_____ Check - Check number _____

_____ Visa or MasterCard Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

MUST be signed to participate!

The undersigned is the adult Program Participant, or is the parent or legal guardian of the Program Participant. The undersigned hereby states that s/he understands the activities that will take place in this program, and that the Program Participant is physically and mentally able to participate in this program. The undersigned recognizes, as with any activity, there is risk of injury. In the event that the Program Participant sustains an injury in the course of the program, and the City of Bloomington Parks and Recreation Department is unable to contact the appropriate person(s) to obtain consent for treatment, the City of Bloomington Parks and Recreation Department and/or its employees or volunteers are authorized to take reasonable steps to obtain appropriate medical treatment. The Program Participant and/or his/her parent or legal guardian shall be responsible for the cost of such treatment. The Undersigned now releases the City of Bloomington, the Bloomington Parks and Recreation Department, its employees, agents, and assigns, from any claims including, but not limited to, personal injuries or damage to property caused by or having any relation to this activity. It is understood that this release applies to any present or future injuries and that it binds the Undersigned, Undersigned's spouse, heirs, executors and administrators. The Program Participant may be photographed and videotaped while participating in Parks and Recreation activities, and consent is given for the reproduction of such photos or videos for advertising and publicity.

I have read this release and understand all of its terms. I agree with its terms and sign it voluntarily.

PRINT YOUR NAME #1 _____ Signature of participant: _____ Date: _____

PRINT YOUR NAME #2 _____ Signature of participant: _____ Date: _____

PRINT YOUR NAME #3 _____ Signature of participant: _____ Date: _____

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RACE RULES

FAILURE TO COMPLY WILL RESULT IN AUTOMATIC DISQUALIFICATION.

1. Race Officials will establish a cut-off time (announced race morning).
2. Teams must carry their own gear, except for bike equipment.
 - 👉 Teams can keep gear/food on their person or with their bike at the transition area, which may be accessed at any time during the race.
 - 👉 Teams cannot stash any gear or leave anything behind on the course, including trash! Teams must start and finish each course section with all required equipment.
 - 👉 Teams must keep the required first aid supplies and equipment wear them at all times. You may be subject to a supply check on the course, so be prepared. If you do not have the required items you may be disqualified.
3. Teams must follow all established City, State and Federal laws including all bike laws.
4. All three team members must complete each section before teams can proceed to the next section. All teams must be present at each checkpoint in order to start the challenge and to proceed to the next.
 - 👉 Passport will be carried by the Team Captain and will be stamped/punched at each check point.
 - 👉 We recommend that all team members remain within **50 feet** of each other during the entire race for safety (exceptions: bathroom breaks and the swim section).
5. Teams may ask locals for information, but may not receive any other form of support.
 - 👉 Teams can help each other if they wish to do so.
 - 👉 The use of personal cell phones is not permitted during the race.
6. Teams may utilize Public Transportation at any time except when they have their bikes with them. Teams may not utilize any other form of motorized transportation (e.g. taxi, friend's car, etc.).
 - 👉 Teams must use the shuttle service when designated to do so.
 - 👉 All teams will receive a bus pass with race materials. Please display pass to driver when boarding.
7. Racers must wear a bike helmet on the bike course and it must be buckled when racer is on the bike.
 - 👉 Tandem bikes are not allowed.
 - 👉 Bikes are **not** allowed on the buses for the entirety of the race!
8. Racers must wear race numbers on the fronts of their shirts.
9. Racers must wear all supplied safety equipment, including, PFDs (personal flotation devices), helmets, knee and elbow pads, or another additional equipment that is required to participate. These will be supplied.
10. Respect private property. Do not trespass on any property that is not designated as the race route.
11. If one or more members of a team cannot continue, the whole team will be disqualified.
 - 👉 Team Captain **MUST** notify a Race Official at the nearest transition point if the team or a member must drop out.
 - 👉 Remaining team members may continue racing, but won't qualify as finishers and finish time will not be recorded.
13. In the event of an emergency or severe injury, find a phone and call 911. For minor injuries, you may continue on your own accord.
14. No cell phones are permitted.
15. No littering or violating proper outdoor ethics, either by accident or ignorance.
 - 👉 Restrooms are located at headquarters and at some checkpoints.
15. No drugs, alcohol, or pets are permitted on the race course, with the exception of service animals.
16. An official "finish" is when all three teammates finish the race together with their passport fully stamped. Any other finish will fall into the "Disqualified (DQ)" or "Did Not Finish (DNF)" categories.
17. Good sportsmanship and spirit of competition must be followed at all times during the race.
18. Family or friends that would like to be spectators at the race may check in at Third Street Park for designated locations to watch race activities.
 - 👉 A personal SAG vehicle is not allowed.
19. Race Directors reserves the right to disqualify a team for any reason.